

12 March 1951

MEMORANDUM FOR: Chief of Naval Personnel
Department of the Navy
Washington 25, D. C.

SUBJECT: Fitness Report on [redacted]
covering the period 16 August 1950 to
28 February 1951

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1. [redacted] has been in the Office of Coordination, Operations, and Policy Staff since 18 July 1949. Up until 15 October 1950 was under the supervision of Mr. Prescott Childs. Since that time he has been under my supervision though in December a reorganization changed the name of the office to the Office of Intelligence Coordination with similar functions.

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2. Mr. Childs informed me of his estimate of [redacted] indicating that he had a steady and mature judgment and was extremely useful to him in the development and coordination on policy matters in the Agency.

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3. My experience has confirmed this, particularly with respect to the isolation of relevant evidence and the formulation of papers.

JAMES Q. REBER
Acting Assistant Director